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DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES

DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

333 W. Nye Lane, Room 138 Carson City, Nevada 89706

Public Notice

June 24, 2004

The Administrator of the Division of Environmental Protection gives notice that an application for a **Major Modification** of **Water Pollution Control Permit (WPCP) NEV88040** for the **Marigold Mine** has been properly filed with the Division of Environmental Protection in Carson City. The applicant for the major modification of WPCP NEV88040 is:

Glamis Marigold Mining Company P.O. Box 160 Valmy, Nevada 89438

The facility is located in Humboldt County, in Section 36 of T34N, R42E; Sections 1, 12, 13, 24, 25, and 36 of T33N, R42E; Sections 19, 20, 21, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, and 33 of T34N, R43E; Sections 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 30, and 31 of T33N, 43E; and Section 6 of T32N, R43E, MDB&M, approximately 3.5 miles southwest of Valmy, Nevada. This mining operation includes open pits for the extraction of gold bearing ore, waste rock dumps, a cyanide heap leach facility, a mill, and a tailings impoundment. This major modification, referred to as the **Millennium Expansion**, will expand the current operation.

The Administrator is constrained to issue the water pollution control permit, or to deny the application. The Administrator has made the tentative determination to issue the permit.

Persons wishing to comment upon the proposed permit, to recommend terms and conditions for consideration of incorporation in the permit, or who request a public

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hearing pursuant to the Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) Chapter 445A, must submit their comments, objections, or requests no later than **July 25, 2004**, to:

Nevada Division of Environmental Protection Bureau of Mining Regulation and Reclamation 333 W. Nye Lane, Room 138 Carson City, NV 89706-0851

All comments or objections received during the public notice period will be considered in the final determination regarding this application. If the Division determines written comments or requests indicate a significant degree of public interest in this matter, the Administrator shall schedule a public hearing in accordance with the requirements of NAC 445A.405.

The permit renewal information and all application documents are on file at the Division and are available for public inspection and copying pursuant to NRS 445A.665. For more information contact Rob Kuczynski at (775) 687-9441, or toll free in Nevada (800) 992-0900 ext. 4670, or visit the Bureau's website at http://ndep.state.nv.us/bmrr/bmrr01.htm.